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### NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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## **Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37) CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

 Additional claim fees of \$366 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

#### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1266 for a Large Entity

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- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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• Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$366

■ \$258 for 3 independent claims over 3.

■ \$108 for 6 total claims over 20.

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# RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION FILING DATE GRANTED

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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted dated May 18, 2004, a copy of which is attached, enclosed herewith for filing are the following documents:

Fully executed Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney for the above-referenced patent application.

$\boxtimes$	Applicant:		
		claims small entity status. Se	e 37 CFR1.27.
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	Checks totaling \$1,266 for:		
	$\boxtimes$	Filing Fee of \$770.	
	$\boxtimes$	Surcharge of \$130.	
	$\boxtimes$	Additional Claim Fees of \$36	<u>6</u> .
	Petition for Extension of Time (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)) to file missing parts (in duplicate).		
$\boxtimes$	Information Disclosure Statement and PTO 1449 (5p) and Color Copies of Non-Patent References x2.		
$\boxtimes$	Preliminary Amendment and Appendix A (4p).		
$\boxtimes$	Request for Correction of Filing Receipt and copy of Filing Receipt with requested changes (3p).		
$\boxtimes$	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of thi paper is enclosed.		
			Respectfully submitted,
Dated:	July	19, 2004	Richard E. Stanley, Jr. Registration No. 45,622 Attorney for Applicant(s)

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